

April 3, 2015

Jennifer Mata, Area Manager BLM Redding Field Office 355 Hemsted Drive Redding, CA 96002

Dear Ms. Mata:

This letter of support for grants # G14-01-14-G01 and G14-01-14-L01 is being submitted on behalf of the BlueRibbon Coalition, a national non-profit trail-based recreation group.

BRC has reviewed the proposals and believes they are appropriate based on the fact the agency manages a critically important destination OHV facility that services the rider community from the S.F. Bay Area, Greater Sacramento Area, and many other population centers in Northern California and Southern Oregon. Having toured this area many times over the last few years, BRC believes this program serves as a model for managed OHV recreation in the 21st Century.

BRC looks forward to our continued work with you and other stakeholders to keep and maintain the high quality and challenging OHV trails at the Chappie-Shasta OHV Area.

Best regards,



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